## NEWPORT NEWS LOSES SECOND OF SERIES

Charlie Strain Pitches Colts to Victory Over Mathews's Hustling Shipbuilders-Good Base-Running Big Help to Griffthian Clan.

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### BY GUS MALBERT.

William Astoria Waldorf, he whom Harry Mathews derricked into the Virginia League from Atlanta, promising the nice money providers in Newport News that he was the imperator of all the flinging talent cut loose around any and all tank stations, met the Colts yesterday. Mere formalities of shaking mitts, selecting corners and examining bandages were forgotten, and Willie Astor started in a hurry to fare for better or worse. It was worse, and as the sun glints through the slightly tilted blinds this glorious morning—that is, if it really happens to be glorious-you may read that Richmond won another game, the latest victory being 4 to 2.

Bull Powell left the yard swearing quietly under his breath that Charlie Strain should be nestling quietly behind ironbound doors. Charlie pitched, and Charlie not only hurled the Reach brand over in an entirely satisfactory manner, but on two occasions dramatically showed Bull the exit stations by undue interference with certain knocks that Bull had intended to be safe. Otherwise, Bull was entirely satisfied. He relieved his manager behind the platter and performed in far better fashion than his superior has ever done. With Mathews receiving the flingers, the Colts heretofore have been able to run wild on the paths, but not so yesterday. Bull's tugging arm was in splendid shape, and three Richmond speed marvels were nipped on their way to second.

Newport News started away to s brisk lead, scoring once in the fourth on two solid whacks and a sacrifice loft by the energetic Powell. It was good that the visitors managed to check that once, for after that there was no possible chance until the ninth. When the ninth rolled around the score was 4 to 1, with Strain traveling on an even keel. Tarleton managed to heat his roller to third in the closing chapter, and on Powell's out, went to second. Chartrand made the second out, after which Geyer hit, scoring

## Results in Virginia League

Richmond, 4; Newport News, 2. Portsmouth, 12; Norfolk, 4. Rosnoke, 4; Petersburg, 0.

STANDING OF CLUBS. Clubs. Won. Lost.
Richmond ... 39 20
Petersburg ... 36

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY.

Tarleton.

Right here it might be of interest to the Griffmen to know that Tarleton hasn't touched home plate yet. He ran in the general direction of the pan, but was too modest trample upon it. Win Clarke, who was working behind the catcher, knew it, and knows it but nobody made the claim, and since Waldorf finished the game after Jay Rogers had made a beautiful catch of his foul fly, no harm resulted. However, had Jay watched the runner and made the claim, Clarke was ready to call the runner out.

The Colts scored three in the third. Waldorf became a triffe excited, slipping in a walk between three hits, all of which coupled with heady and fast up for repairs to a sore thumb, had of which coupled with heady and fast up for repairs to a sore thumb, had base-running, brought home three tailed and the game. Dog Newton counted the fourth time when made his leaguer stand for two bases, coming something sussy to Umpire Clarke.

# With the Amateurs

By John R. Hooper, Jr.



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to be a fast one, and both managers seems to be a great deal of rivalry. There seems to be a great deal of rivalry. Demage Done by Blyzing Curtain. seems to be a great deal of fivalry between these two clubs, and they are fixing each other for the season laurels in the Old Dominion League. To dank game will decide who shall take first place, as both teams have wen five and lost two. The Tylors have met the Kalms once this season, and lost the game by the score of 10 to 6 but as they have strengthened very much since this game, the Kahns will have all they want to content with today.

## SUPERBAS STAR THIRDSACKER



for the phenomenal showing made by his team this season. Smith's playing is rapidly making a place for him among the first rank of third base guardians in the major lengues. A timely hitter, Smith has a knack of working his way around the base paths once he reaches first. He is a wonder at killing off the bunts of would-be sacrifice

the mount for Kahns, while Sanderson will toos them over for Tylers, both of these pitchers have a good record neither having lost a game during the present season.

damage was triffing, although consended among about twenty five nurses, who were in the home at the time.

The blaze started by the curtain blowing against a lighted candle,

# U. C. T.'S TO PLAY FAVORITES WIN; CUMBERLAND TEAM TALENT PLEASED

Mrs. Fitzhugh is accused of stealing a mesh bag from Miss Dorothy Fisk and a gold diamond-studded bracelet from Miss Irene Munsey.

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## NORFOLK GOLFERS PLAY HERMITAGE

Found Scar Scene of Thursday Night's
Fatal Accident.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Elizabeth City, N. C., June 27.—The
hodies of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene B. Cook,
victims of Thursday night's tragedy,
were recovered from the Pasquotank
River this morning about 9 o'clock,
after an all-night search by a score of an all-night search by a score of

The bodies were found near the scene of the accident, and were taken ashore near the old Cropsey home. The funear the old Cropsey home. The function and interment will take place Dickerson, W. R. Barksdale, R. L. Saturday. Saturday.

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Mr. Cook was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Cook, and was a promising young business man. Mrs. Cook was Miss Ethel Beveridge before her marriage, a daughter of Georgo Beveridge, a prominent mill man. She was a social favorite.

# PIRATES FIND

Portsmouth Hands Norfolk Awful Brilliant Fielding Marks Game, in Defeat-Pitcher Herbert Is Overcome by Heat.

Howell, p..... 1 0 0 0 1 0 

Whiteraft, ss. . . . . 4 1 1
Stewart, c. . . . . . 2 0 0
Rivers, lf . . . . . . . 2 0 1

# **BOY SCOUTS WILL**

Competition to Be Keen in Games, With Interest Keyed to Highest Pitch.

On the Union Theological Grounds, Ginter Park, at 4 o'clock this afternoon, the Boy Scouts will hold their first athletic meet. National Councilman O. J. Sands, Local President John Hustters vs. Jones Green, at Byrd. man O. J. Sands, Local President John
Stewart Bryan, and other members of
the Richmond Council, together with
members of the Barton Heights Council, are expected to be in attendance.

The scouts will keep perfect order,
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and will see that no damage is done and will see that no damage is done to the buildings or the grounds. Everything is in readiness for the big meet and the boys are keyed up to a high pitch of excitement. Competition will be close, especially in Class 1. Troop

Southside I Manchester vs. Tu chester Park.

Jones Brothers vs. Tu chester Park.

Sterling vs. Ric No. 16 is expected to make a strong bid for first place in both classes.

The officials will be Louis Adair and T. S. Taylor, clerks of course; Taylor, starter; Sledd, scorer; Spencer, Massey and Wilson, judges; Charles Taylor, Ryland and Reed, marshals; G. B.

lor, Ryland and Reed, marshals; G. B. Williams, referee, and Aubrey Haw-kins, official announcer.

The order of events will be as forow:

25-yard dash, Class 1, 18 entries.
50-yard dash, Class 2, 14 entries.
75-yard dash, Class 2, 14 entries.
Ball throw, Class 2, 17 entries.
Ball throw, Class 2, 16 entries.
220-yard dash, Class 2, 16 entries.
25-yard dash, S. F., Class 1.
50-yard dash, S. F., Class 1.
50-yard dash, S. F., Class 1.
100-yard dash, S. F., Class 2.
Running broad jump, Class 1, 12
entries.

Running broad jump, Class 2, 15
entries.

Running broad jump, Class 1, 11

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entries. Standing broad jump, Class 2, 15

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ries.

25-yard dash, F., Class 1.

50-yard dash, F., Class 2.

50-yard dash, F., Class 1.

100-yard dash, F., Class 2.

75-yard dash, F., Class 2.

440-yard run, Class 2, 7 entries.

Belay, Class 1, 2 teams, 4 each. Relay, Class 2, 3 teams, 4 each. Relay, Class 2, 3 teams, 4 each. Water boiling, Class 1, 12 entries. Water boiling, Class 2, 8 entires.

Lexington Plays Lynchburg. Lynchburg, Va., June 27.—The first golf tournament to be held in Lynchburg will take place Saturday after-noon at the Lynchburg Country Club, under the auspices of members of that new organization, when members of the Lexington Golf Club will contest with local players on the Westerly links. Players from the two places met in Lexington several weeks ago, at which time the Lexington golfers were victorious.

Among those who are expected from Lexington are Judge Martin L. Burks, Greenlee D. Letcher, B. E. Vaughan, Professor Humphries, Frank T. Glas-gow and Messrs. Pettigrew and Huger. The Lynchburg team will be selected from the following members of the Country Club: Dr. J. D. Paxton, Dr. and J. A. Anderson.

Farmer Killed by Lightning.

Washington, N. C., June 27.—David Bell, well known farmer of Pinetown, was struck by lightning and killed cial favorite.

Ephardt Wins Again.

J. O. Ephardt defeated George R. Newsome at billiards in the Capital City parlor last night 50 to 10,

## GOOBERS BLANKED TARS VERY EASY BY ROANOKE TEAM

Which Jap Efird Covers Himself With Glory.

Overcome by Heat.

Norfolk, Va., June 27.—Norfolk and Portsmouth put up the poorest excuse for a baseball game here to-day that the fans of this city over witnessed. Nork, who started to pitch for Norfolk, proved easy for the Pirates, and after the first inning McCrary took his place. It was a case of swapping the devil for the witch, and the witch proved worse than the devil. Herbert, the Pirates' star twirler, was overcome by heat in the fifth inning, and was relieved by Howell. The score:

Portsmouth.

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Himself With Glory.

Petersburg, Va., June 27.—Roanoke shut Petersburg out this afternoon in a game in which brilliant and sensational fielding on the part of Roanoke featured. Efird allowed but five scattered hits but he made eight assists, several of which being phenomenal once. Ginn, in centre field, robbed Petersburg of two hits, one of which culminated in a double play, and Dr. Pressly covered himself with glory, making six assists, one of which was a one-handed stop of a line drive over second buse. Hedgpeth was hit for ten singles, three of these being in the sixth inning, netting Roanoke two runs, the only ones they should have word with his stick, making three hits out of four times up. Umpire Coigate with his stick, making three hits out of four times up. Umpire Coigate with his stick, making three hits out of four times up. Umpire Coigate with his stick, making three hits out the made eight assists, several of which being phenomenal once. Ginn, in centre field, robbed Petersburg of two hits, one of which being phenomenal once. Ginn, in centre field, robbed Petersburg of two hits, one of which being phenomenal once. Ginn, in centre field, robbed Petersburg of two hits, one of which being the sists, several of which being phenomenal once. Ginn, in centre field, robbed Petersburg of two hits, one of which being and against the visitors.

The score: Petersburg. Simmons, rf..... 3 Hedgpeth, p..... 2 0 0 1 2 Cooper\* ..... 1 0 0 0 0

plays—Ginn, Spy and Pressly; Pressly and Gardin. Base on balls—Off Hedgpeth, 1. Left on bases—Petersburg, 2; Roanoke, 3. Struck out—Hedgpeth, 2; Efird, 3. Time of game, 1:30, Umpire Colgate. Attendance, 750.

Capital City League.

Battle Axe vs. Barton Heights, at Byrd Park. Umpire, Wilcox. Collegians vs. Jacobs & Levy, at Lee Park. Umpire, French. Grays vs. Ashland, at Barton Heights.

Heights.

Old Dominion Lengue.

Kahns vs. Tylers, at Byrd Park.

Woodall & Quarles vs. Wrights, at
Fulton Park.

Richmond League.

Portners vs. Adkins, at Southside Park. Burk & Co. vs. Cherry Smash, at Highland Park.
American' vs. Kingan, at Seminary
Park.

Commercial League. Simon Sycle vs. Christo, at Seminary

Hustters vs. Jones Green, at Byrd Wizard vs. Ramblers, at Colonial Woodland Heights vs. Brownies, at

Manchester vs. Tunstalls, at Manchester Park.

Jones Brothers vs. Swansboro, at

Southside League.

West End League. Giants vs. Cubs, at Harvis Park. Riversides vs. Indians, at Athletic Cardinals vs. Pirates, at Meadow B. Park.

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